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VIA ECF:

Hon. J. Paul Oetken Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse 40 Foley Square New York, NY 10007

Re: United States of America v. Jose A. Then-Prado, 09-CR-385 (RWS) (S.D.N.Y.)
Letter Motion to Unseal Documents

Dear Judge Otken:

I represent defendant Jose Then-Prado and write on behalf of Mr. Prado to request an Order to Unseal the transcript and minute entry of Mr. Prado's change of plea hearing. *See* ECF No. 44. The reason for this request is that I have been retained by Mr. Prado as it relates to his previously entered plea and current immigration consequences which have resulted from his conviction. I have conferred with the government, by AUSA Joseph Zabel, who consents to this request so long as the materials are only unsealed for undersigned counsel, which we are amenable to.

I remain available for a conference should the Court deem one to be necessary.

Granted. The transcript and minute entry of Mr. Prado's change-of-plea hearing are hereby unsealed only to the extent that they shall be available to Mr. Prado's counsel, Jason Goldman, Esq.

So ordered: 5/15/2025

Respectfully,

<u>s/ Jason Goldman</u> Jason Goldman, Esq.

J. PAUL OETKEN
United States District Judge